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Death has claimed another man of world-wide reputation in the person of Dr. Talmage—a man whose almost matchless eloquence has thrilled the hearts of tens of thousands for nearly half a century, and fired many a breast with zeal for high and noble things. The influence of such a man—cumulative in its effects—is something stupendous, never-ending. Such a life may well be regarded with awe by many of us in our narrow and selfish careers.

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Texas has been blessed with another million dollar rain.

Satisfied that his candidacy for governor will take care of itself, Congressman Lanham has returned to Washington.

Supplies are being sent from many parts of the state to the Zapata county sufferers.

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### New Officers Installed—Other Business Transacted.

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Bills and officers reports were disposed of as usual. The report of the special committee to investigate the finances of the city was received and adopted.

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On motion the old council adjourned and the new council was called to order by Mayor Harrison, who made a number of recommendations to the council in the form of a message.

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Miss Grinnan, of Terrell, was invited to meet the other bride's maids for the Tilson-Parker Wedding at the home of Mrs. Milton Parker Saturday afternoon from 5 to 6:30 o'clock. The rooms were made doubly charming with a profusion of roses. Miss Adams delighted the company with a charming vocal selection. For refreshments, strawberries, cream and cake were served. Those present were Miss Grinnan, Miss Cavitt, Miss Peverly, Miss Adams, Mrs. S. J. Bain, Mrs. G. S. Parker, Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Mrs. Chas. N. Williamson, Mrs. A. B. Carr, Jr. Miss Doak, Miss McLendon, Mrs. R. M. Gordon, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Jr., Mrs. W. H. Oliver and Mrs. D. A. Lawrence.

An Austin special to the Galveston News says: "Prof. R. H. Price, instructor in horticulture at the Agricultural and Mechanical college, has tendered his resignation to the board effective June 1. Among the applications for his place are Edward A. White, now first assistant instructor in horticulture at the college; Prof. A. M. Ferguson of the botany department of the state university, and Ed Kyle, of Kyle, Texas, who takes his master's degree at Cornell university next June, and was an honor graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanical college of Texas several years ago.

Mrs. Walter Wipprecht gave a delightful card party on last Friday evening, complimentary to Miss Frances Parker and Mr. P. S. Tilson, whose marriage is to take place next Wednesday. Only the bridal party were invited. The affair was exceedingly enjoyable. During the evening delicious refreshments were served in courses. Those present were: Misses Peverly, Cavitt, Adams and Grinnan and Messrs. Parker, Ross, of Waco, Puryear, Saunders, Wilson and Mrs. S. J. Bain, of Houston.

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Two south front offices for rent. Apply to Geo. W. Smith. 114

25c mercerized madras selling at 15c at Wagner & Brandon's. 113

Tickets to General Fitzhugh Lee's lecture on sale at Haswell's. 115

General Lee will lecture in Bryan without fail Friday night, April 18. 5

Those white waists at Webb Bros. combine style, beauty, value and fit. 114

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Cottage for rent—Furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Mrs. Dr. J. R. Johnson. 112

Dr. W. A. Wilson, of Belton, president of Baylor female college, spent Sunday in Bryan.

WANTED—A second-hand refrigerator to hold 100 pounds of ice. Apply to Mrs. A. E. Collins. 113

Sewing Machine—Good second-hand sewing machine for sale. Apply at J. F. Park's residence. 112

FOR SALE—Four room house and corner lot, three blocks west of Main street. See T. J. Caywood. 137

The Langtry is a beautiful lady's slipper. We have them in patent vici. Webb Bros. 114

John M. King, A. F. Brigrance and City Marshal Henry Heil, of Navasota, were in the city yesterday.

The county commissioners met yesterday to canvass the returns from the school trustees' election.

Mrs. M. E. Wallace and Miss Pearl Wallace left yesterday to visit relatives and friends at Franklin, Texas.

They are going! Our pretty things for wedding presents.

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Today—fresh from the garden—fine green onions, 5c per bunch, at Howell Bros. and Jno. M. Lawrence & Co's. dtf

It is seldom you see as pretty a line of Misses and children's slippers as those just received by Webb Bros. 114

The two magnificent rains, Saturday night and Sunday, seem to have put everybody in a good humor, by effectually ending the drouth.

Bryan Ice Storage and Coal Company are agents for Joseph Schlitz bottle beer, "the beer that made Milwaukee famous." dw

The Spanish Concert company gave another brilliant entertainment at the opera house last night, with the inspiration of a larger audience.

Room for rent or will board man and wife or two gentlemen, convenient to business. Apply at Eagle office. 413

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These suits are not the ordinary ready-made kind, but are made by expert tailors, sewed with silk and cut in the latest and most approved styles. Odd Coats, and Coats and Vests in blue and black serge, Sicilian, Etc., Linen and duck Pants \$1.00 and \$1.50.

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All wool flannel suits \$5.00,  
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Don't wait to select your presents. Our stock of French China vases, cut glass, etc., is very complete and we can surely please you. 112 Wilson & Jenkins.

Refrigerator For Sale—A first-class White Mountain refrigerator, nearly new, for sale cheap. Apply at J. T. Bond's blacksmith shop. 115

FOR RENT—A five room house, convenient to business. Apply to Miss Armstrong at Mrs. March's residence. 115

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### New Officers Installed—Other Business Transacted.

The council met in regular session yesterday afternoon, Mayor Mooring presiding and all officers present.

Bills and officers reports were disposed of as usual.

The report of the special committee to investigate the finances of the city was received and adopted.

A franchise was granted G. S. Parker, Seth Mooring and T. P. Boyett, to establish a new telephone system in Bryan. The company filed an acceptance of the ordinance as passed.

The vote at the recent city election was canvassed and the new officers duly installed as follows: Dr. R. H. Harrison, Mayor; T. A. Searcy and J. B. Stevenson, aldermen. Judge Board administered the oath of office.

On motion the old council adjourned and the new council was called to order by Mayor Harrison, who made a number of recommendations to the council in the form of a message.

Dr. J. W. Howell, H. C. Robinson and G. M. Brandon were re-elected school trustees.

W. S. Howell was elected mayor pro tem.

On motion the council adjourned till 8 o'clock to finish the business of the meeting.

Miss Grinnan, of Terrell, was invited to meet the other bride's maids for the Tilson-Parker Wedding at the home of Mrs. Milton Parker Saturday afternoon from 5 to 6:30 o'clock. The rooms were made doubly charming with a profusion of roses. Miss Adams delighted the company with a charming vocal selection. For refreshments, strawberries, cream and cake were served. Those present were Miss Grinnan, Miss Cavitt, Miss Peverly, Miss Adams, Mrs. S. J. Bain, Mrs. G. S. Parker, Mrs. Walter Wiprecht, Mrs. Chas. N. Williamson, Mrs. A. B. Carr, Jr. Miss Doak, Miss McLendon, Mrs. R. M. Gordon, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Jr., Mrs. W. H. Oliver and Mrs. D. A. Lawrence.

An Austin special to the Galveston News says: "Prof. R. H. Price, instructor in horticulture at the Agricultural and Mechanical college, has tendered his resignation to the board effective June 1. Among the applications for his place are Edward A. White, now first assistant instructor in horticulture at the college; Prof. A. M. Ferguson of the botany department of the state university, and Ed Kyle, of Kyle, Texas, who takes his master's degree at Cornell university next June, and was an honor graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanical college of Texas several years ago.

Mrs. Walter Wiprecht gave a delightful card party on last Friday evening, complimentary to Miss Frances Parker and Mr. P. S. Tilson, whose marriage is to take place next Wednesday. Only the bridal party were invited. The affair was exceedingly enjoyable. During the evening delicious refreshments were served in courses. Those present were: Misses Peverly, Cavitt, Adams and Grinnan and Messrs. Parker, Ross, of Waco, Puryear, Saunders, Wilson and Mrs. S. J. Bain, of Houston.

The colored Pythians held their annual celebration Sunday with about seventy-five visiting members present from Marlin, Calvert, Navasota and Hearne. A banquet was tendered at the lodge room in the afternoon. Rev. W. H. Jackson, of Navasota, preached the anniversary sermon at Shiloh Baptist church.

The last services were held in the Methodist church Sunday and the building will be removed by the purchaser, Mr. J. N. Cole. There were four additions to the church at the Sunday morning service. Until the new church is completed services will be held at the opera house.

FOR SALE—The J. J. Hanus property in the eastern part of town. Includes three lots, two houses and outhouses, garden, etc. Apply to Louis Hanus at Buchanan & Buchanan's. 116-29

F. A. Capps, who was in the city Saturday, showed to the Eagle a fine year old Aberdeen Angus bull, bought in Missouri for \$250, and successfully inoculated to prevent Texas fever by Dr. Francis at the A. and M. college.

Ed Hall has purchased several lots from C. A. Adams, adjoining the McInnis residence, and will erect a new two-story residence thereon at an early date.

We are showing swell designs in tapestry, satin and oriental designs in the Robert Graves line of fine wall papers. Wilson & Jenkins. 114

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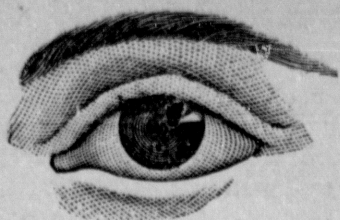
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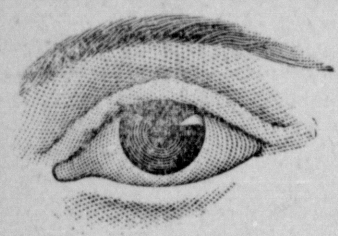
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Bryan, Texas.

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**The EYE**

The Eye is a wonderful piece of divine mechanism, and deserves the best care within the reach of human knowledge. The delicate construction of this organ makes it necessary to use great care in selecting eyeglasses and spectacles. It is not generally understood by those depending upon artificial assistance for good vision, that it requires as much skill and scientific knowledge to adjust lenses to the eye as it does to prescribe medicines for the human system. Much of the present day eye trouble is due to wearing cheap, decentered lenses. No person should wear a glass unless prescribed by a reliable eyesight specialist, one thoroughly acquainted with anatomy, physiology and diseases of the eye, laws of light and science of optics.

Ordinary failing eyesight is by some regarded as alarming—by others treated too carelessly. All eyes begin to fail at 40 years of age, some have troubles a year or two before that time, the majority not till after. Ninety per cent of eye troubles are due to "putting off" the use of glasses after failure begins, or to wearing of wrong ones. Age, however, is no criterion for the wearing of glasses. Many are born with greater defects than come with the advance of years. When the need of glasses is actually evidenced, the CHILD OF TEN needs them much more than the adult of eighty. Nerve and muscle strain, due to the eye defects of children, act as an impediment to mental and physical development. What the eye sees is telegraphed at once to the brain. Strain the nerves of the eye and the brain is made to feel and suffer. Eye testing and glass fitting has advanced to a science—even to the man who has perfected himself in that science, there is no one test which can always be depended upon for accurate results. That a complete and reliable diagnosis of the Eye can only be reached by the use of several tests is becoming universally acknowledged.

**SYMPTOMS OF EYE DEFECTS, SHOWING THE NEED OF GLASSES OR NEED OF DIFFERENT GLASSES.**

Headache, dizziness, aversion to bright light, inability to see at close range, with perfect distant vision, sleepy feeling and desire to close the eyes when reading, or lines and letters running together, darting pains in eyeballs or temples, acquired cross eyes in children under ten years of age, blurring of vision, or inability to see objects distinctly at a distance, holding reading or close work either beyond or inside the normal distance of twelve inches, fatigue, or requiring a stronger light when reading, smarting or burning sensation in or about the eyes, seeing objects double, quivering of lids, or jerking of muscles in and around the eyes, dark floating spots or bright lights flashing before the eyes, turning head sideways to look at an object, or holding object too close, watering of the eyes. This is an age of Specialists. The ability to do one thing and do it well is more to be commended and is of more benefit to humanity, than to do many things and none equal to the best. We limit our practice on the eye to errors of refraction, and thoughtful people are showing their appreciation of the specialist who devoted his time and study to acquiring knowledge of the eyes, and individual eyesight peculiarities.

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## CONGRESS THIS WEEK

Chinese Exclusion Act the Contention Before the Senate.

### VOTE ON WEDNESDAY

The House Will Devote the Week to Cuban Reciprocity Bill and the Measure May Possibly Remain Unpassed.

Washington, April 14.—In accordance with the agreement reached on Friday last, the senate on Wednesday will vote on the Chinese exclusion bill and the present understanding is that the Philippines government bill will be taken up immediately afterwards. It is the present belief, however, that the Philippines bill will soon be broken in on by the calling up of the rivers and harbors bill. Being an appropriation bill, it can be taken up at any time, but it is not the desire of the committee to have it considered until there shall have been a chance offered to make further amendments in committee. That opportunity will not be provided until Thursday following the vote on the Chinese bill. The opponents of the Chinese bill will press their fight from this time forward and if they find that they cannot secure its recommitment, they will concentrate their efforts on proposed amendments. Especial effort will be made to secure the adoption of the Platt substitute.

The leaders of the house expect to see the Cuban reciprocity bill passed during the present week, but they admit that the debate may be prolonged so that the final vote will not be reached until next week. As the debate is without a rule, it can be drawn out practically as long as anybody desires to speak, but the leaders believe the general debate will exhaust itself by Thursday at the latest. Mr. Dazell will close the general debate in favor of the bill.

When the measure is thrown open for amendment under the five minute rule, a great number of amendments will be offered by the Democrats with a view to opening up a way for amending the schedules of the Dingley tariff law. It is known in advance that all amendments will be held to be not germane to the bill, whose title provides for reciprocity with Cuba and only amendments raising or lowering the amount proposed in the concession will be held to be in order. Appeals may be taken from the rulings of the chair on the general tariff amendments, but it is thought that with one general exception, the appeals will be unsuccessful. That exception may be the amendment to take the differential off refined sugar.

It is admitted on both sides of the chamber that the real fight will come on that amendment. A number of Republicans who are opposed to the bill have announced that they will vote to overrule the chair on that proposition, and the Democrats expect to be able to cast a solid vote for it. The weakness of the position of the friends of this proposition is that the test will not come directly on the amendment, but on the ruling of the chair. If a motion to recommit with instructions to report back such an amendment is made, it will be held not to be in order under the general authority of parliamentary law that the house cannot instruct the committee to do what itself cannot do.

If the danger involved in the amendment to abolish the differential is passed the bill will have plain sailing on its final passage as a majority of the Democrats will vote for it.

#### Two Women Killed.

Cleveland, O., April 14.—Mrs. Martha J. Calhoun, aged 75 years, and her daughter, Mrs. Vaughn, aged 46, were shot and killed here by an unknown person, near Mantua station, 40 miles from here. Will Vaughn, a step-son of the younger woman, is locked up in the Ravens jail as a suspect. Blood stains were found on his trousers. He says the stains came from a cut finger.

#### Specialist Probably Suicided.

Macon, Ga., April 14.—Dr. R. O. Cotter, a specialist of prominence, was found dead in the house of his mother-in-law in Barnesville Sunday. The cause of death was a bullet wound under the right ear, presumably due to the accidental discharge of a pistol he was cleaning. Owing to ill health he had retired from practice. He was formerly president of the Barnesville Savings Bank.

#### Hill Primaries in Doubt.

Hillsboro, Tex., April 14.—The result of the Democratic primary election in Hill county on Saturday is still in doubt as to congressman. Both Dudley C. Wooten's and Jack Beall's friends claim victory. The indications are in favor of Beall.

#### Killed Near Beaumont.

Beaumont, Tex., April 14.—Foran Drum, employed at the second lift of the Beaumont Irrigation company's plant, 10 miles west of Beaumont, was shot and instantly killed. J. J. Hill came to town and surrendered to the sheriff.

#### Horses Burned to Death.

Ardmore, I. T., April 14.—Fire destroyed the livery stable, a brick structure, and contents belonging to T. B. Cathey. Seventeen head of horses perished in the flames. A fine mare belonging to Judge Townsend, valued at \$250, and his neat trap, were also burned. He carried insurance on both. The fire was of an incendiary nature. Estimated loss, about \$5000; insurance \$2800.

## TRUCK FARMS RUINED.

Hail Destroys Prospects of Gardeners About League City.

League City, Tex., April 14.—The severe hailstorm here Sunday destroyed fully two-thirds of the strawberry crop. The berry fields are badly damaged. The crop was about at its height and the growers were expecting to ship by the carload this week. The cantaloupe and cucumber fields appear to be almost a total loss. Beans, peas, tomatoes and other garden truck are ruined. The hail lasted about 10 minutes and was accompanied by a heavy wind which did some damage to small dwellings and outhouses.

#### Brick Building Blown Down.

San Antonio, April 14.—The high wind which accompanied the heavy rain here Sunday did considerable damage in the suburbs of the city. A three-story brick building near the Aransas Pass depot, known as the Mackay pottery, and occupied by the Ducler company as a warehouse, was blown down and much loss sustained to the goods inside. A man and his wife who occupied rooms in the building had a narrow escape.

#### Hail and Rain at Webster.

Webster, Tex., April 14.—One of the severest hailstorms that ever struck here occurred Sunday with a strong wind and heavy thunder. The heavens were kept continually lighted with vivid lightning. The hail fell thick and fast for 15 minutes, then settled down to a downpour of rain, and in a short time everywhere was water. This was the heaviest waterfall since the 1900 storm.

#### Tremendous Hail.

Iredell, Tex., April 14.—The heaviest hail fell here Saturday that has fallen in this section for two years. Mixed with it was considerable hail northwest of here. The hailstorm was so terrific that the Bosque river at this place, standing half-bank full of water, was covered for two hours with at least one foot of hail. Fish of all kinds were chilled to death and were caught floating along the edges of the water.

#### Rain Fell in Sheets.

Yoakum, Tex., April 14.—The severest wind and rain storm since the time of the Galveston flood raged here Sunday from 3 to 4 o'clock. The rain fell in sheets and the wind blew 45 miles an hour. Damage as far as can be learned is estimated at \$5000.

#### Many Dericks Blown Down.

Beaumont, Tex., April 14.—The wind and rain storm which struck Beaumont about 4 o'clock Sunday morning did considerable damage in the city and to the oil field, but no one was injured on the field or in the city. Many dericks were blown down.

#### Want American Troops to Remain.

Manila, April 14.—The merchants of Lagroncy, in south Camarins, province of Luzon, have sent a message to General Chaffee praying that the Americans troops be not withdrawn from Legoncy. The merchants declare that they are unanimously of the opinion that if they are deprived of the protection of the military they will become victims of the lawless element at the cost of their lives and property. They said that if the American troops leave the town the enemy could reduce the food supply of the inhabitants and retard the advance of the soldiers coming to their rescue, and that such action would lead to irreparable damage.

#### Remarkable Piece of Engineering.

Pittsburg, April 14.—One of the most remarkable and cleverly executed pieces of engineering work ever performed in the country took place Sunday with the 2000-ton bridge of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad spanning the Allegheny river between Tenth and Eleventh streets was moved a distance of about thirty feet to temporary piers to make way for the new double deck structure that is to take its place. The moving was done in such an incredibly short time that there was practically no interference of traffic.

#### Funeral of Wade Hampton.

Columbia, S. C., April 14.—In the presence of thousands of people, who came to pay their last tribute of love and respect to their dead chieftain, the body of Wade Hampton was buried in the old family lot in Trinity church yard Sunday. Every effort had been made by the family to have the funeral quiet, but this was impossible. The demonstration was the greatest ever occurring here.

#### Funeral of Dr. Talmage.

Washington, April 14.—Final arrangements for the funeral of T. De Witt Talmage, the noted Presbyterian minister, who died Saturday, have been completed. The remains will be buried at Brooklyn.

#### Inventor Reilly Dead.

Cumberland, Md., April 14.—Horace Reilly, the inventor of the locomotive pilot in 1840, and other railroad appliances, died here. He was 87 years of age.

#### Killed by Lightning.

Honey Grove, Tex., April 14.—Luther Sublet, a farmer living three miles north of this city, while returning home Sunday was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

#### Killed by His Horse.

Franklin, Tex., April 14.—Joel Pardon was killed by his horse falling on him and crushing his head and breast. The accident occurred near Petteway, 12 miles north of here.

#### Orator - Confederate Reunion.

New Orleans, April 14.—Gen. Gordon announces that Hon. John M. Allen of Mississippi, more familiarly known as "Private" John Allen, has been selected as the orator of the Dallas reunion.

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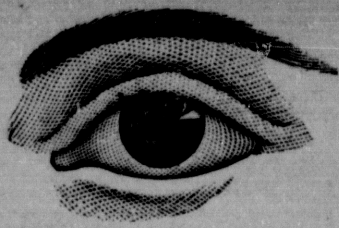
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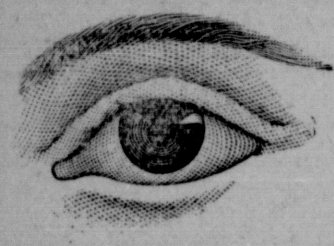
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good vision, that it requires as much skill and scientific knowl-  
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for the human system. Much of the present day eye trouble is  
due to wearing cheap, decentered lenses. No person should wear  
a glass unless prescribed by a reliable eyesight specialist, one  
thoroughly acquainted with anatomy, physiology and diseases of  
the eye, laws of light and science of optics.

Ordinary failing eyesight is by some regarded as alarming—  
by others treated too carelessly. All eyes begin to fail at 40  
years of age, some have troubles a year or two before that time,  
the majority not till after. Ninety per cent of eye troubles are  
due to "putting off" the use of glasses after failure begins, or to  
wearing of wrong ones. Age, however, is no criterion for the  
wearing of glasses. Many are born with greater defects than  
come with the advance of years. When the need of glasses is  
actually evidenced, the CHILD OF TEN needs them much more  
than the adult of eighty. Nerve and muscle strain, due to the  
eye defects of children, act as an impediment to mental and phys-  
ical development. What the eye sees is telegraphed at once to  
the brain. Strain the nerves of the eye and the brain is made to  
feel and suffer. Eye testing and glass fitting has advanced to a  
science—even to the man who has perfected himself in that  
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sire to close the eyes when reading, or lines and letters running  
together, darting pains in eyeballs or temples, acquired cross  
eyes in children under ten years of age, blurring of vision, or  
inability to see objects distinctly at a distance, holding reading  
or close work either beyond or inside the normal distance of  
twelve inches, fatigue, or requiring a stronger light when read-  
ing, smarting or burning sensation in or about the eyes, seeing  
objects double, quivering of lids, or jerking of muscles in and  
around the eyes, dark floating spots or bright lights flashing be-  
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**CONGRESS THIS WEEK**

Chinese Exclusion Act the Contention  
Before the Senate.

**VOTE ON WEDNESDAY**

The House Will Devote the Week to  
Cuban Reciprocity Bill and the  
Measure May Possibly Re-  
main Unpassed.

Washington, April 14.—In accord-  
ance with the agreement reached on  
Friday last, the senate on Wednesday  
will vote on the Chinese exclusion bill  
and the present understanding is that  
the Philippines government bill will be  
taken up immediately afterwards. It  
is the present belief, however, that  
the Philippines bill will soon be brok-  
en in on by the calling up of the rivers  
and harbors bill. Being an appropri-  
ation bill, it can be taken up at any  
time, but it is not the desire of the  
committee to have it considered until  
there shall have been a chance offered  
to make further amendments in com-  
mittee. That opportunity will not be  
provided until Thursday following the  
vote on the Chinese bill. The oppo-  
nents of the Chinese bill will press  
their fight from this time forward and  
if they find that they cannot secure  
its recommitment, they will concentrate  
their efforts on proposed amendments.  
Especially effort will be made to secure  
the adoption of the Platt substitute.

The leaders of the house expect to  
see the Cuban reciprocity bill passed  
during the present week, but they ad-  
mit that the debate may be prolonged  
so that the final vote will not be  
reached until next week. As the de-  
bate is without a rule, it can be  
drawn out practically as long as any-  
body desires to speak, but the leaders  
believe the general debate will ex-  
haust itself by Thursday at the latest.  
Mr. Dalzell will close the general de-  
bate in favor of the bill.

When the measure is thrown open  
for amendment under the five minute  
rule, a great number of amendments  
will be offered by the Democrats with  
a view to opening up a way for amend-  
ing the schedules of the Dingley tariff  
law. It is known in advance that all  
amendments will be held to be not  
germain to the bill, whose title pro-  
vides for reciprocity with Cuba and  
only amendments raising or lowering  
the amount proposed in the concession  
will be held to be in order. Appeals  
may be taken from the rulings of the  
chair on the general tariff amend-  
ments, but it is thought that with one  
general exception, the appeals will be  
unsuccessful. That exception may be  
the amendment to take the differen-  
tial off refined sugar.

It is admitted on both sides of the  
chamber that the real fight will come  
on that amendment. A number of Re-  
publicans who are opposed to the bill  
have announced that they will vote  
to overrule the chair on that proposi-  
tion, and the Democrats expect to be  
able to cast a solid vote for it. The  
weakness of the position of the  
friends of this proposition is that the  
test will not come directly on the  
amendment, but on the ruling of the  
chair. If a motion to recommit with  
instructions to report back such an  
amendment is made, it will be held  
not to be in order under the general  
authority of parliamentary law that  
the house cannot instruct the commit-  
tee to do what itself cannot do.

If the danger involved in the amend-  
ment to abolish the differential is  
passed the bill will have plain sail-  
ing on its final passage as a majority  
of the Democrats will vote for it.

**Two Women Killed.**

Cleveland, O., April 14.—Mrs. Mar-  
tha J. Calhoun, aged 75 years, and her  
daughter, Mrs. Vaughn, aged 46, were  
shot and killed here by an unknown  
person, near Mantua station, 40 miles  
from here. Will Vaughn, a step-son  
of the younger woman, is locked up  
in the Ravens jail as a suspect. Blood  
stains were found on his trousers. He  
says the stains came from a cut finger.

**Specialist Probably Suicided.**

Macon, Ga., April 14.—Dr. R. O. Cot-  
ter, a specialist of prominence, was  
found dead in the house of his mother-  
in-law in Barnesville Sunday. The  
cause of death was a bullet wound un-  
der the right ear, presumably due to  
the accidental discharge of a pistol he  
was cleaning. Owing to ill health he  
had retired from practice. He was for-  
merly president of the Barnesville  
Savings Bank.

**Hill Primaries in Doubt.**

Hillsboro, Tex., April 14.—The result  
of the Democratic primary election in  
Hill county on Saturday is still in  
doubt as to congressman. Both Dudley  
G. Wooten's and Jack Beall's friends  
claim victory. The indications are in  
favor of Beall.

**Killed Near Beaumont.**

Beaumont, Tex., April 14.—Forwan  
Drum, employed at the second lift of  
the Beaumont Irrigation company's  
plant, 10 miles west of Beaumont, was  
shot and instantly killed. J. J. Hill  
came to town and surrendered to the  
sheriff.

**Horses Burned to Death.**

Ardmore, I. T., April 14.—Fire de-  
stroyed the livery stable, a brick struc-  
ture, and contents belonging to T. B.  
Cathey. Seventeen head of horses per-  
ished in the flames. A fine mare be-  
longing to Judge Townsend, valued at  
\$250, and his neat trap, were also  
burned. He carried insurance on both.  
The fire was of an incendiary nature.  
Estimated loss, about \$5000; insurance  
\$2800.

**Hall Destroys Prospects of Gardeners  
About League City.**  
League City, Tex., April 14.—The  
severe hailstorm here Sunday destr-  
oyed fully two-thirds of the strawberry  
crop. The berry fields are badly dam-  
aged. The crop was about at its  
height and the growers were expect-  
ing to ship by the carload this week.  
The cantaloupe and cucumber fields  
appear to be almost a total loss. Beans,  
peas, tomatoes and other garden truck  
are ruined. The hail lasted about 10  
minutes and was accompanied by a  
heavy wind which did some damage to  
small dwellings and outhouses.

**Brick Building Blown Down.**

San Antonio, April 14.—The high  
wind which accompanied the heavy  
rain here Sunday did considerable  
damage in the suburbs of the city. A  
three-story brick building near the  
Aransas Pass depot, known as the Mac-  
key pottery, and occupied by the  
Dueller company as a warehouse, was  
blown down and much loss sustained  
to the goods inside. A man and his  
wife who occupied rooms in the build-  
ing had a narrow escape.

**Hail and Rain at Webster.**

Webster, Tex., April 14.—One of the  
severest hailstorms that ever struck  
here occurred Sunday with a strong  
wind and heavy thunder. The heavens  
were kept continually lighted with  
vivid lightning. The hail fell thick  
and fast for 15 minutes, then settled  
down to a downpour of rain, and in a  
short time everywhere was water. This  
was the heaviest waterfall since the  
1900 storm.

**Tremendous Hail.**

Iredell, Tex., April 14.—The heav-  
iest rain fell here Saturday that has  
fallen in this section for two years.  
Mixed with it was considerable hail  
northwest of here. The hailstorm was  
so terrific that the Bosque river at  
this place, standing half-bank full of  
water, was covered for two hours with  
at least one foot of hail. Fish of all  
kinds were chilled to death and were  
caught floating along the edges of the  
water.

**Rain Fell in Sheets.**

Yoakum, Tex., April 14.—The sever-  
est wind and rain storm since the  
time of the Galveston flood raged here  
Sunday from 3 to 4 o'clock. The rain  
fell in sheets and the wind blew 45  
miles an hour. Damage as far as can  
be learned is estimated at \$5000.

**Many Derricks Blown Down.**

Beaumont, Tex., April 14.—The wind  
and rain storm which struck Beau-  
mont about 4 o'clock Sunday morning  
did considerable damage in the city  
and to the oil field, but no one was  
injured on the field or in the city. Many  
derricks were blown down.

**Want American Troops to Remain.**

Manila, April 14.—The merchants  
of Lagroncy, in south Camarins, prov-  
ince of Luzon, have sent a message to  
General Chaffee praying that the  
Americans troops be not withdrawn  
from Legency. The merchants declare  
that they are unanimously of the op-  
inion that if they are deprived of the  
protection of the military they will  
become victims of the lawless element  
at the cost of their lives and property.  
They said that if the American troops  
leave the town the enemy could reduce  
the food supply of the inhabitants and  
retard the advance of the soldiers com-  
ing to their rescue, and that such ac-  
tion would lead to irreparable damage.

**Remarkable Piece of Engineering.**

Pittsburg, April 14.—One of the most  
remarkable and cleverly executed  
pieces of engineering work ever per-  
formed in the country took place Sun-  
day with the 2000-ton bridge of the  
Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago  
railroad spanning the Allegheny river  
between Tenth and Eleventh streets  
was moved a distance of about thirty  
feet to temporary piers to make way  
for the new double deck structure that  
is to take its place. The moving was  
done in such an incredibly short time  
that there was practically no interfer-  
ence of traffic.

**Funeral of Wade Hampton.**

Columbia, S. C., April 14.—In the  
presence of thousands of people, who  
came to pay their last tribute of love  
and respect to their dead chieftain, the  
body of Wade Hampton was buried in  
the old family lot in Trinity church  
yard Sunday. Every effort had been  
made by the family to have the funeral  
quiet, but this was impossible. The  
demonstration was the greatest ever  
occurring here.

**Funeral of Dr. Talmage.**

Washington, April 14.—Final ar-  
rangements for the funeral of T. De-  
witt Talmage, the noted Presbyterian  
minister, who died Saturday, have not  
been completed. The remains will be  
buried at Brooklyn.

**Inventor Relays Dead.**

Cumberland, Md., April 14.—Horace  
Reisly, the inventor of the locomotive  
pilot in 1840, and other railroad ap-  
pliances, died here. He was 87 years  
of age.

**Killed by Lightning.**

Honey Grove, Tex., April 14.—Luth-  
er Sublet, a farmer living three miles  
north of this city, while returning  
home Sunday was struck by lightning  
and instantly killed.

**Killed by His Horse.**

Franklin, Tex., April 14.—Joel Par-  
don was killed by his horse falling  
on him and crushing his head and  
breast. The accident occurred near  
Pettaway, 12 miles north of here.

**Orator - Confederate Reunion.**

New Orleans, April 14.—Gen. Gordon  
announces that Hon. John M. Allen of  
Mississippi, more familiarly known as  
"Private" John Allen, has been select-  
ed as the orator of the Dallas reunion.

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